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MDMR sponsors recipe contest for seafood cookbook

BILOXI, Miss. – The Mississippi Department of Marine Resources is holding a seafood recipe contest, and the winners will be used in the updated version of the Mississippi Seafood cookbook.

The deadline to submit recipes is Friday, Feb. 24.

Submitted recipes must be original and incorporate some type of Gulf seafood, which includes shrimp, crab, oysters and finfish. Recipes should fall into one of the following categories: appetizers, soups, side dishes and main dishes.

Entries should be emailed to <u>Charmaine.Schmermund@dmr.ms.gov</u> by 5 p.m. Friday, Feb. 24, along with the name, phone number and, if relevant, a story that relates to the recipe. A photo of the finished dish may also be submitted.

All entries may be used in other promotions with credit given to the person who submitted the recipe.

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